HOUSE BILL 2670 By Sexton C

## SENATE BILL 2662

By Bailey

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 1; Title 49, Chapter 2; Title 49, Chapter 3 and Title 49, Chapter 6, relative to school athletics.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-1-302, is amended by adding the following language as a new subsection:

The board shall be the regulating authority for all athletic events for cross country, football, soccer, volleyball, golf, basketball, bowling, wrestling, baseball, softball, tennis, and track events for public schools.

SECTION 2. The board is authorized to promulgate rules to effectuate the purposes of this act. All such rules shall be promulgated in accordance with Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5.

SECTION 3. For purposes of Section 2, this act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it, and for all other purposes this act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.